

## Great and Little Shelford C E (A) Primary School

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## Dear Families,

We hope you and your families are all well and that you are having a wonderful summer. We have been working hard to make sure that we are ready to welcome you all back to school safely.

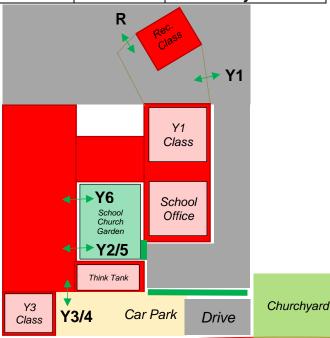
As we said in our letter to you in July, we are trying to keep everything as familiar as possible. As you might remember from the previous letter, the biggest difference is that children and staff will all be in class bubbles. Each class will operate separately from the others and must stay at least 2 metres away from those in other bubbles. The staff in your bubbles must also stay 2m away from each other and every other member of staff.

You may also remember that we said each class will have different times for certain parts of the school day. Below are the entry and exit times for each class. We looked at all the children in the school and mapped all the siblings to try and get the best possible solution for everyone. This is to try and reduce the times people may come into contact with others.

Class	Entry Time	Entry Location	Waiting Area	Exit Time	Exit Location
R	8:55	Playground	Playground / Reception	3:15	Playground /
		Reception Gate	grass		Reception grass
Y1	8:45 - 8:49	R / Y1 Gate	Outside Office	3:20	R / Y1 Gate
Y2	8:50 - 8:54	Junior Entrance	School Church Garden	3:25	Junior Entrance
Y3	8:50 - 8:54	Fire Door (Car Park)	Car Park	3:25	Fire Door (Car Park)
Y4	8:45 - 8:49	Fire Door (Car Park)	Car Park	3:30	Fire Door (Car Park)
Y5	8:45 - 8:49	Junior Entrance	Outside green church garden gates	3:30	Junior Entrance
Y6	8:45 - 8:49	Library Door	School Church Garden	3:30	Library Door

You will see that the times are close together. This is to try to make it easy for families to collect children in the same family. However, **please make sure you arrive on time for entering and exiting school** as there is a very small window of time. We have made this simple map to highlight the different zones.

Y5 and Y6 pupils are welcome to make their ways to their zones in the morning independently. (Separate information for Y5 / Y6 pupils walking independently is available from the office).



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Please only bring essential items:

- Named water bottle;
- Named waterproof coat;
- For Y3-Y6, a piece of fruit / vegetable in a disposable (e.g. paper) bag (if desired as a breaktime snack);
- Named sunhat (if appropriate weather).

**Initially, please do not bring book bags.** We will let you know about arrangements for PE kits and Forest School days once the term has commenced.

We have planned break and lunch times and you will learn these as you start back at school. School lunches will be available as before – however, it is likely that there will be two choices rather than three. This will help our lunchtimes to run as smoothly as possible.

We are hoping to make some videos of what school will be like for your return so you can be familiar with the procedures. We have been very fortunate to have some works taking place over the summer holidays and I look forward to you seeing these when we welcome you back.

I hope you continue to have a lovely summer holiday. If you and your family do go / have been abroad, please ensure that you follow all the guidance about quarantining. You should be ready to begin school on the first day – Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September.

Finally a helpful reminder:





We are looking forward to welcoming you back!

## Chris Grey

